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From: Kathleen Mayer [mailto:kmmayer21@yahoo.com]

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To: Public Hearing

Subject: Oppose Wal-Mart Banks

Dear, Ms. Bair -

As you begin your tenure as Chairperson of the FDIC, I urge you to oppose Wal-Mart putting down more stakes in the financial industry. I grew up in a small Minnesota community and remember patronizing the banks owned by local business persons. Those banks still support the small, farming community. However, Wal-Mart is raising walls in my hometown as I write this, and I fear the impact its retail as well as future financials will have on the community. Please help save the small town bank. Oppose the Bank of Wal-Mart.

Sincerely,
Kathleen Mayer
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